

Free Lessons
In Art Needlework.

CROCHET COTTON.
10 Balls, 79c

Richardson's R. M. C.; in white and colors. 79c per box.
Second Floor—Facing Elevators.

Mail Orders Intelligently and Promptly Filled

The Palais Royal

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Hours, 9 to 6

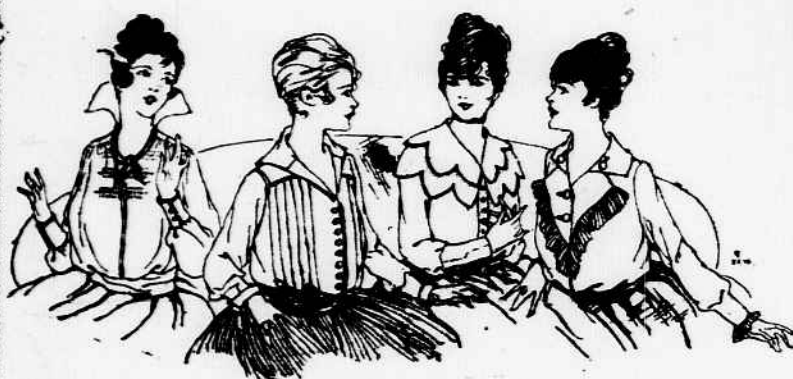
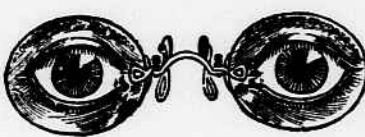
6 Street

Basement Store.
Tomorrow's Best Bargain.
SHIRT WAISTS
Special at 79c

Of wash silks, voiles, organdies and lawns, in lingerie, tailored and sport styles.
Basement Store—6 Elevators.

Optical Dept.—Palais Royal Street Floor—Balcony

EYE STRAIN oftentimes causes headaches, dizziness, nausea, nervousness, irritability and wrinkles. Without further delay have our Optometrist examine your eyes. No fee is exacted for this service. We prescribe and furnish good glasses as low as One Dollar.



Blouses Bunched at \$3

The department chief lately returned from New York and among the vast purchases for Easter were these makers' samples and little lots bunched at a nominal price.

Tub Silk Waists. Wash Satin Blouses. Combination Blouses.

Genuine Georgette Crepe Blouses. Silk Crepe de Chine Blouses.

Note the pretty color stripes of the Tub Silk Blouses. Those of wash satin are in maize, flesh, peach and white. The Georgette and Silk Crepe de Chine models are in white and colors; lace trimmed. The collars and cuffs are all new.
Third Floor—Facing the Elevators.

Easter Next Week—Suits at

Bunching Many Little Lots, Creating a Vast Variety, While

Lowering the Price.

The makers not less than the Palais Royal are now willing to bunch little lots and quote a reduced price. There'll be aristocratic bargains here tomorrow—the last and best of this pre-Easter sale.

All suits in one style or another.

\$21.50



The Materials

The Wool Cloths Are Shrunken.

Serge, Wool Poplin, Gabardine, English Mixtures, various Checks, Taffeta Silk and Serge in combination; also all Taffeta Silk.

The Colors

Imported Dyes—Fully Guaranteed.

Rookie, Reseda, Belgian Blue, Navy Blue, Black, Brown, Greens, Sand and Tans of different shades and checks.

Last Moment Features Assured

Notably—the Suits with English Riding Jackets jauntily flaring—Suits with Russian Jackets, loosely plaited and secured by belt—the American adaptation of the English Norfolk effect, plus the large Jose Collins pockets. The jackets of many suits with the latest Parisian double collar, overlaid with silk.

Select Your Suit Tomorrow—Any Alterations Free of Charge.

You have to select the suit and we have to fit it and make any necessary corrections. With Easter so near have you or we another moment to spare?

R. S. V. P.—Tomorrow—Palais Royal—Third Floor.



Order Your Easter Hat Tomorrow—Learn Why

1—Because Milliners Can't Be Hurried and Worried. 2—Because of Price.

Specials
for
Tomorrow.
Thursday Only.

Special prices for April 13 only—to induce you to order your hat so that it may be made in time for Easter Sunday and be a credit to both you and the Palais Royal.

\$2.98 for Any \$3.50 Untrimmed Hat
For Tomorrow Only From 9 A.M. Until 6 P.M.

Flowers, Foliage, Feathers, Quills, Etc.

\$1.25

89c

39c

19c

\$1.50 Value.

\$1.00 Value.

50c Value.

25c Value.

At 89c and \$1.25 are the \$1.00 and \$1.50 Gaura and other novelty feathers. At 39c are the Palais Royal's wonderful collection of 50c Roses, Gardenias, Violets, Hydrangeas, Daisies and Quills. At 19c are the 25c Quills, curled and straight.

THE SERVICES OF PALAIS ROYAL MILLINERS.

Satisfaction is always certain—because Palais Royal milliners are artists first and last. Let the cost of your hat be as little as you like—the reputation of a Palais Royal milliner is too precious to risk.

"The Home Book of Fashions" for Spring of 1916

Illustrating the Newest Home Patterns, Including Those Shown in the Ladies' Home Journal. Ask to See It—On Second Floor.

Shepherd Checks

Headquarters.

50c to \$1 Yard

On this second floor of the Palais Royal you find just the check you want. At \$1.00 yard are 54-inch Worsted Finish Checks; at 75c yard are Superior 52 and 54 Inch Cloth Checks; at 50c yard are 42 to 44 Inch Worsted Checks, guaranteed to wear well. Link Shepherd Checks with the Palais Royal—and save time, worry and money.

The visitor to this second floor finds the departments for Home Patterns and dress materials adjoining.



These Dresses.
The Home Patterns are responsible for these and other lovely dresses you can easily make.

The Wanted Silks

Headquarters.

\$1 to \$1.25 Yard

At \$1.00—The Wash Silks, with 1½-inch satin stripes in colors that will launder perfectly. At \$1.05—the 40-inch Wide Silk Crepe de Chine in all the wanted light and dark colors. Also white and black. At \$1.25—the Chiffon Taffeta, with the soft finish now used in suits, dresses, skirts and for trimmings, in all the wanted street and evening shades. Also plenty of navy, white and black.

With experts to consult the problem of the Easter dress or suit is made easy.

Second Floor—Adjoining the Elevators.

40-Inch Georgette Crepe—Best at \$1.75 Yard

Midnight, navy, royal, copenhagen and Belgian blues; olive, reseda and Russian greens; silver, steel, stone, taupe, purple, flesh, black and white. On Street Floor—near door—with the following trimmings:

20c and 30c yard for White Silk Braid, 1½ and 1¾ inches wide, so much used in conjunction with navy blue serge dresses.
15c to 80c yard for the New Polished Braids, 1 to 1½ inches wide.
15c to \$1.50 dozen for White Celluloid and Galalith Buttons, in seewhrough, dome, square and oblong shapes.
15c to \$6.50 yard for Spangle Trimmings, black, blue and opalescent; ¼ to 6 inches wide.
50c yard for Satin Rosebud Trimming, all colors and combinations. Useful as well as ornamental.



Fitted by a Famous Expert

Mme. Mara, the leading corsetiere associated with "Binner" Corsets, is here from New York for all this week to personally suggest and fit the correct models to Palais Royal visitors.
Private Parlors—Third Floor.

SPECIAL.

Mme. Mara invites fittings of two special models of pink silk brocade, for average and tall figures. Special at \$5

MANY TO ENTER CAMPS FOR MILITARY TRAINING

Local Interest in Plattsburg and Chattanooga Enrollments

Continues to Grow.

That residents of this city are taking active interest in the military training camps to be held this summer at Plattsburg, N. Y., and at Chattanooga, Tenn., is indicated by the large number of enrollments received by Basil Miles and Thomas R. Ship, local representatives of the Training Camps Association of the United States.

Total of Forty-Eight Enrolled.

Forty-one Washingtonians will attend the Plattsburg encampment for the purpose of receiving fundamental instruction in the duties of officers of the army, and seven others have enrolled for similar instruction at the Chattanooga camp. The southern camp offers special opportunities for training in cavalry and field artillery tactics. Civilians accustomed to riding horseback may enter directly into regular organizations of those arms and receive special training. The lists at both camps are still open and more enrollments are expected.

Men to Be Trained.

The local enrollments for the camp at Plattsburg are:

W. P. Meredith, 620 Woodward building; Malcolm S. McCombe, 1414 F street; Glenn H. Wichman, 809 K street; Charles F. Wilson, Woodward building; Charles C. State Department; John Harvey, 124 33d street; J. Mandeville Carlisle, 717 14th street; Reginald S. Huidekoper, 1614 18th street; Alexander S. Lanier, 1400 Columbia road; James R. Lee, Catholic University; Steven J. Moran, Catholic University; John I. Costigan, Union Trust building; Charles A. McKenney, 1525 Rhode Island avenue; George W. Pratt, House office building; Clarence M. Butler, 15 Newland street; Paul A. White, 37 V street; G. Good Cressy, sewerage pumping plant; William C. Marrow, Metropolitan Club; Henry R. Davis, 1010 Spring road; James H. Hopkins, 808 17th street; Robert C. Hayden, 1312 H street; Robert H. Lombard, geological laboratory; George T. Weitzel, Department of State; F. Harold Sasser, Interstate commerce commission; Basil Miles, 1718 H street; Robert C. Greene, McGill building; Erskine Gordon, 412 5th street; John B. Gordon, 2023 Q street; G. De Forest Larner, 2031 O street; Frank S. Smith, 408 5th street; William T. Shea, 1438 Fairmont street; John H. Gregory, Jr., Department of State; George C. Totten, Jr., 1517 17th street; Lucius E. Mason, Colorado building; Ralph M. Brown, 1324 Monroe street; Robert H. Chapman, 2029 Q street; Lawrence M. York, Army and Navy School; Mortimer Klinkowstein, 7th street and Massachusetts avenue; Walter La T. Milsford, 1222 Monroe street; Mark L. Goodwin, Riggs building; and Chauncey Hackett, 1211 Connecticut avenue.

Washingtonians already enrolled for the Chattanooga encampment are:

George McP. Minette, 1731 Euclid street; Sydney Paige, 1336 F street; Alfred H. Brooks, United States geological survey; Frank S. Drown, 1807 H street; Henry G. Ferguson, United States geological survey; J. Fred Hunter, United States geological survey, and Ralph P. Brown, 1324 Monroe street.

Federal Experts Tell Congressman

Something Is Wrong With Dairy Business.

"There is something wrong with the dairy business of the country" was the general sentiment of federal experts from the bureau of animal industry who testified yesterday before the House committee on rules in favor of the resolution of Representative Linthicum of Maryland to authorize a congressional investigation of the business. On the other hand, representative dairymen told the committee that while they did not oppose an investigation they demanded a fair and just survey of the creamery and dairy situation, and asked for a postponement of the hearing until May 10, when a dairymen's convention is to be held in this city and a full statement could be made to the rules committee.

Expert testimony was given yesterday that it would be a good thing for the country to have such an investigation as Representative Linthicum proposes if only to establish the truth or falsity of the charges. The principal accusation against the dairy business is that there is considerable tuberculosis in dairy cattle, and that the disease is transmitted to children.

Unfit for Consumption.

Dr. A. D. Melvin, chief of the bureau of animal industry, told the committee that a large part of the dairy products of the country is unfit for consumption. Local inspection, he said, is inadequate, and he also said he knew of no state having a comprehensive inspection system.

Dr. E. C. Schroader, a federal expert from the Department of Agriculture, testified that tubercular infection in children, arising from milk from tuberculous cattle, is a common disease. He said 10 per cent of the dairy cattle is infected, but that pasteurized milk offsets the danger. Dr. John B. Mohler, assistant chief of the bureau of animal industry, offered similar testimony. R. H. Rawl of the dairy division of the bureau of animal industry said that in addition to milk and cream, there should be a rigid inspection of butter and cheese.

On the other side were Dr. G. L. McKay, secretary of the American Association of Creamery Butter Manufacturers, and William Cressy, secretary of the National Dairy Union. They said they did not oppose an investigation if it should be made broad enough to cover the whole field, and at the same time they attacked the 1912 report of the bureau of animal industry, which criticized the dairy industry. They said the report was narrow and the charges made were too sweeping.

WILL DEPICT SCRIPTURES.

Tableaux Arranged for American Bible Society Celebration.

Tableaux to be held at Convention Hall Saturday, May 6, depicting the history of the Bible, will be the first feature of the celebration in this city of the centennial of the American Bible Society, according to announcement made by the program committee, through J. C. Hemphill. There will be three performances, morning, afternoon and evening, the affair to be under the supervision of Mrs. Randolph Foster and J. Wilber Tomlinson. The following day, Sunday, there will be an out-door meeting at 2 p.m., probably on the east side of the Capitol, with short addresses and choral numbers with military band accompaniment. At 4 p.m. Sunday there will be an indoor meeting in Memorial Continental Hall, the feature of which is expected to be an address by the President of the United States.

MADISON NIGHT SCHOOL ENDS.

Spelling Contest Precedes Announcement of Promotions.

The Madison Night School closed its sessions last night with appropriate exercises. Gara Scroggins of the eighth grade was first in the spelling contest. Musical numbers by the pupils were a feature. Charles Hart is principal of the school.

Following is the list of promotions: To the Night High School, special class—Henry Day, Edward Fernyhough.

Claudius Gantz, Anthony Merryman, Margaret Guntaw, Mary Olin, Charlotte Voelker.

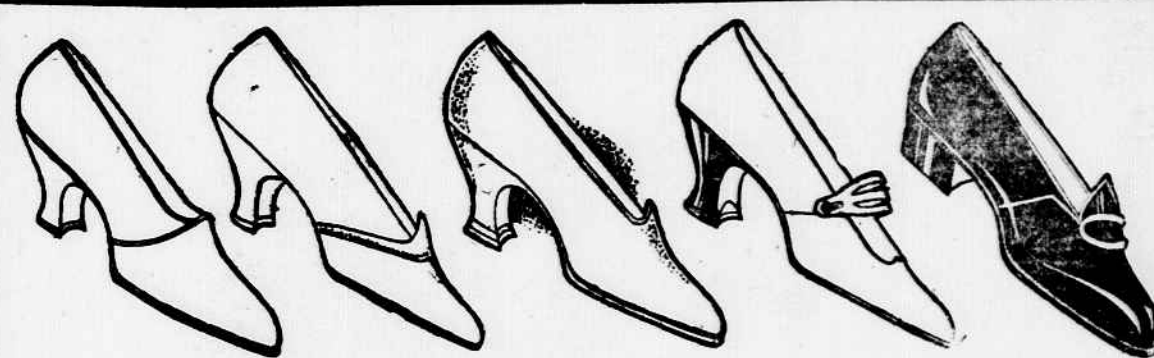
Regular class—Arthur Benson, William Bosley, Paul Brandon, Thomas Carroll, Emmitt Davis, Vernon Giddings, Alonzo Glenn, Harold Halleck, Alonzo Hastings, Morris Marks, Loren Wilkinson, Ellsworth Armiger, Robert Porton, Edward Foley, Joseph Fries, James Sullivan, Raymond Gantz, Earl Jenkins, Gara Scroggins, Goldie Brill, Annie Carrier, Agnes Haley, Lulu Johnson, Beatrice Knott, Lena Nasella, Rose Ostrow, Anna Ready, Rose Schmidt, Eva Roderick, Dollie Steel, Euzella Palmer, Mattie Morgan.

To seventh grade—Zuse Honikman, Thomas Bailey.

To sixth grade—Floyd Burkholder, Louis Kaplan, Arthur Deavers, Elizabeth Brook, Ida Kaplan, Sarah Kaplan.

To fifth grade—Mary Arnold, Mary Cordani, Louisa Denny.

To fourth grade—Earl Magruder, George Maske, William Maske.



Women's Low Shoes Were Never So Beautiful as They Are This Spring—In the Glorious Profusion of

New "VENUS" Fashions

At \$3.50, \$4, \$5 and \$6

These pictures tell but a small part of the story and tell it inadequately. The woman who would lead in the Easter style parade should not fail to see "VENUS" LOW SHOES before buying.



This Special Offering, for a Limited

Time, of the Very Latest \$8, \$9

and \$10 New "Color" Boots

At \$6 Pair

HAS been one of the greatest advertisements our stores have ever known. Women who usually shop "on F street" are simply amazed that Boots of such rare beauty and fine workmanship and distinctiveness can be sold at only \$6.00.

The styles include solid color models—also combination "Two-tone" effects.

In Gray, Dawn, Twilight, Taupe, Ivory, Java or Havana Brown, Champagne, Tan, Patent Leather and a new arrival goes on sale tomorrow.

BLACK KID, WHITE KID TOP—with fancy lavallier stitching on vamps and tops.

McHahn & Co's
3 RELIABLE SHOE HOUSES

COR. 7th and K.
1914-16 PA. AVE.
233 PA. AVE. S.E.

"Foot Comfort" Service—by Our Foot Specialists.

Women's and Children's New White Boots for Easter Wear

WOMEN'S Gorgeously Fashioned White Nubuck, Canvas, Peiskin, Kid and Washable Kid Laced Boots—

\$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8

MISSSES AND CHILDREN'S White Nubuck Laced and Button Boots—styles of rare beauty. Some with ivory leather soles.

Sizes 8½ to 11, \$2, \$2.50 & \$3

Sizes 11½ to 2, \$2.50, \$3 & \$3.50

Sizes 2½ to 6, \$3, \$3.50, \$4 & \$5

WHITE SEA ISLE DUCK Button and Laced Boots. Plain toes or tips. Regular or extra high cut. Ivory, rubber or leather soles.

Sizes 6 to 11, \$1.25 to \$2.00

Sizes 11½ to 2, \$1.50, \$2 & \$2.50

WHITE-TOP, PATENT LEATHER BOOTS.

Sizes 5 to 8, \$2.25

Sizes 8½ to 11, \$2.50 & \$3

11½ to 2, \$3 & \$3.50 2½ to 6, \$5

"Lady Luxury" Stockings

Our Famous 50c Silk Stockings—full fashioned, snug fitting, shape retaining, lustrous and durable. All the newest colors.

3 pairs for \$1.55, 55c

United States Tires



Sturdy Marching Feet for Your Automobile

A soldier can march as far as his feet will let him.

Like a soldier, the feet of an automobile must be carefully shod.

An automobile—no matter how good it is—will give satisfactory service only if it has the particular tires adapted to its particular uses.

That is why there are five United States "Balanced" Tires—a tire to meet every need of price and use—the only complete line offered by any one tire manufacturer.

One of the five is made for your car—made to give you the lowest cost per mile.

Ask the nearest United States Tire Dealer for your copy of the booklet, "Judging Tires," which tells how to choose the particular tire to suit your needs.

United States Tire Company

"Hobby" "Chain" "Usco" "Royal Cord" "Plain" "INDIVIDUALIZED TIRES"